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Appln. No.: 09/000,366	)	Washington, D.C.
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Filed: January 28, 1998	)	Confirmation No. 5189
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For: METHOD FOR THAWING FROZEN	)	March 1, 2007
GROUND FISH MEAT	)	

**REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed September 5, 2007, for which a three-month extension of time to respond is hereby requested, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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